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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/696,929	10/25/2000	Lee A. Bulla JR.	52441-20004.00	4758

TITLE OF INVENTION: MICROBE, MICROBIAL EXOPOLYSACCHARIDE AND USES THEREOF

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